On motion of Mr. Latrobe,

Leave was granted to the Committee on Corporations to report a bill entitled an Act to incorporate and establish a House of Refuge for male negroes or persons of color, in the State of Maryland.

On motion of Mr. Touchstone,

Leave was granted to the Cecil delegation to introduce a bill to repeal certain portions of the Act of 1860, chapter 303, of the General Assembly of Maryland, relating to the Columbia and Port Deposit Rail Road Company.

Mr. McCulloh (the rules being suspended) presented the petition of 35 citizens of Allegany county, asking the incorporation of the North Branch Lumber and Boom Company.

Also, the petition of 14 landholders, bordering on the North Branch, asking the incorporation of the North Branch Lumber and Boom Company.

Also, the petition of 50 citizens of Allegany county, asking the incorporation of the North Branch Lumber and Boom Company.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Harden, (the rules being suspended,) presented the petition of Charles R. Waters and 56 others, praying the passage of a law, appointing a Tobacco Inspector for No. 6 Warehouse, of this State.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Inspections.

Mr. Iglehart, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported favorably, the

Senate bill entitled an Act supplementary to an Act passed at January session, 1866, chapter 55, entitled an Act to incorporate the Baltimore and Liberty Turnpike Road Company.in Carroll county, and to amend the title of said Act of 1866, chapter 55, and to authorize the County Commissioners of Frederick county to subscribe to the capital stock of said company.

Said bill being upon a second reading,

Mr. Latrobe submitted the following amendment:

Add at end of section 2d, provided, that this company shall not be entitled to charge tolls on any vehicles passing over this road, for the purpose of going to or from funerals.

Which was adopted.

The bill as amended was then read a second time and ordered to be engrossed for a third reading.